

FOREIGN PATENT OR PUBLISHED FOREIGN PATENT APPLICATION															
EXAM INIT.		DOCUMENT NUMBER							PUBLICATION DATE	COUNTRY OR PATENT OFFICE	CLASS	SUBCLASS	Translation		
													YES	NO	
DP	CA	2	1	8	3	0	3	0	02/1998	Canada					
DP	JP	1	1	3	2	8	2	2	07/1997	Japan					

EXAM INIT.		OTHER MATERIALS												
		<i>(Including, Author, Title, Date, Relevant Pages, Place of Publication. **)</i>												
EXAMINER	<i>Deff</i>											DATE CONSIDERED	<i>3-26-04</i>	

EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. **Place of Publication refers to name of publication in which the information was published.